

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Shigeaki OKUTANI et al.

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Group Art Unit: 2193

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Examiner: Michael D. Yaary

For: FUNCTION ARITHMETIC METHOD AND FUNCTION ARITHMETIC CIRCUIT

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed March 19, 2008, and having a period for response set to expire on June 19, 2008.

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.